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SUBJECT: NEW SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN EAST BERLIN

REF: A) MOSCOW 1322 B) USBERLIN 0180

WE HAVE LEARNED FROM A RELIABLE SOURCE THAT THE NEW SOVIET AMBASSAODR TO THE GDR WILL BE I.I. UDAL'TSOV, FORMERLY HEAD OF NOVOSTI PRESS AGENCY(REF.A). SOURCE CONFIRMED REPORT IN REFTEL(B) THAT ABRASIMOV WILL BECOME HEAD OF THE IDEOLOGICAL COMMISSION IN THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE. ABRASIMOV HAS TOLD US HE WILL ATTEND THE 25TH CPSU CONGRESS, AND IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE CHANGE CONFIDENTIAL

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WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT THAT TIME.GROVE

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